

Special Health Care Needs

Adolescent and Youth Program

Mission

To develop, promote, and support community-based systems that enable adolescents and youth with special health needs to achieve the best possible health and highest level of functioning.

Description

The Adolescent and Youth Program provides early identification, on-going assessment, treatment and service coordination of health services for participants ages 13-21 who meet financial and medical eligibility guidelines. There are no eligibility requirements for service coordination.

Services

Hope Service

Provides funding for early identification of medical conditions and assures that health services are provided for participants birth to age 21 who have a special health care need.

Healthy Children and Youth (HCY) Administrative Case Management

Assists families in meeting their child's needs to function at an optimal level.

Service Coordination

Provides service coordination activities for participants who have a special health care need but do not meet the medical and/or financial criteria.

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